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SIR:

Kindly amend the above-identified application before examination and calculation of the filing fee as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 10, 14, 15, 18, 19 and 26, without prejudice. In addition, please amend claims 1-6, 9, 11, 13, 17, 20-23 and 25, as provided below. The status of the claims pending in this application is provided in the associated claim listing on separate sheets: